GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA

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NATIONAL OPEN SCHOOL
AMAR ROY PRADHAN

Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether as per the instructions for filling up the application form published in the prospectus 2000-2001 of National Open School. The candidates are compelled to fill up their application forms in English only and they are not allowed to fill up these forms in Hindi; and

(b) if so, the reasons therefor; and

(c) the action proposed to be taken in this regard?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI SYED SHAHNAWAZ HUSSAIN)

(a) & (b) The prospectus for admission to various courses in the National Open School are provided both in English & Hindi. However, candidates are instructed to fill up the application form in English only due to lack of facilities in processing the application forms filled in Hindi.

(c) National Open School is taking necessary measures tolocate and use the facilities for processing the application forms filled in Hindi.